

Democratic Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT:
SAMUEL J. TILDEN,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:
THOMAS A. HENDRICKS,
OF INDIANA.

SOMEbody or nobody, writing from somewhere or nowhere, to the *Courier-Journal*, made a violent assault upon the Hon. M. J. Durham. Now, we had not intended, in advance of a nomination, to take sides for or against any aspirant in our party, and our readers will bear us witness that we have abstained from doing so. But when one of the most prominent aspirants for the honor is assailed from a masked battery, in advance of the Convention, and in a manner to give aid and comfort to the wily enemy, we feel in duty bound to recent it, and denounce the attack as a direct thrust at our party over Judge Durham's shoulders. The tone and temper of the whole anonymous letter are calculated to injure our prospects of success in the race, it matters not who may be our standard bearer. The writer certainly has a personal spite against Mr. Durham; he would not have gone to the expense of twenty-five or thirty dollars in order to see his spiteful communication in print. The sly bid made by the unknown disaffected individual, for popular applause and approval, by singling out and naming at least one man in each county of the district, for Congress, any one of whom, according to the writer, would make a better representative than Mr. Durham; will not find such a bait grabbed at by the voracity of a Jack-fish. Its transparency is visible to a blind man even. We have nothing to say against Mr. Durham in this connection, or any of the half dozen gentlemen named in the communication aforesaid, but we do say that such trash as it gave are not calculated to injure Mr. Durham half so much as they tend to injure the Democratic party in this 8th district. Such talk as that might be endured in a party convention, within our own Democratic household, but to lay it before the world is but to give the enemy a club with which they may cudgel us to their hearts content and aid in battering down our strongholds.

A FOREIGNER who reads the letters of acceptance, written by Hayes and Wheeler, would, of course, conclude that the South is in a shameful and almost illiterate condition. They are too full of the intelligence of that whole section. The vassals and serfs of Europe are in a better condition than a majority of the Southerners, according to the views of the two aspirants for presidential honors on the Radical ticket. They would have the world believe that all the wisdom, intelligence and patriotism of this country centers in the North. Why send missionaries to China, Japan, Africa, and India, if we have so many Godless heathens within two days ride of the North by rail or river in our own country? Hayes and Wheeler have never been through the South. They formed their opinions from reading the letters of carpet-baggers and scoundrels, and not from a reliable and intelligent source. It is not true that whole counties in Louisiana and other Southern States are without a single school house, as Wheeler says in his letter. The reading public who take their cue from some other quarter than Radical letter writers, will not be deceived by such stuff.

The "man-and-brother" party assert that the colored race is abundantly able to take care of itself. Let such logicians go down to poor old South Carolina and witness the scenes there presented on all hands, and then come back and tell us how that race is flourishing. Under negro rule it is the worst governed State in the Union. Debt loads them down, and there is little hope of escape from its grasp. Give that great cotton and rice-growing State a Democratic government, under white men, and it would soon rise from the ashes.

The Radicals having been trying to steal our Democratic thunder. As soon as our Uncle Samuel sounded the key note of Reform, the Reds took it up and are even trying to "out Herod Herod." If they thought our cry for Reform was only a "delusive yell," why was it that they took it up so soon and so promptly? They well know that the people of this country have set their hearts on Reform, and, knowing that, they greedily grab at the word and try to assume to themselves all that the word means. "Too late, too late, has come your cry."

The illustrious old ex-Queen Isabella, of Spain, is going back to her old haunts at Madrid, and it will not be long before Alfonso, her son, the King, will have to abdicate and flee over the Pyrenees to France, in order to escape imprisonment or death at the hands of his enraged countrymen.

SOMETHING NEW.—It is not half done yet. We mean this old, old world of ours, with its sixty centuries. Nor can we begin to look for the end when Time shall be no more, until wonders cease. When the steamboat first floated upon the water, people began to think—surely this is the climax, and the end is near. Then not long afterward came the telegraph and people, by its use, talked around the world in a twinkling. But the end was not yet found. We have now still another wonder. A man has invented an attachment to electric wires by which musical sounds are transmitted, and a piano played in New York can be heard in New Orleans. More than that, by a strange device, the sound of the human voice can be transmitted over a 1,000 miles on the wires, and two persons can converse with each other audibly that distance apart. If, therefore, in the mere "infancy" of the invention, such results have been accomplished, might we not, as the Boston *Traveler* suggests, expect in due course of time, to so perfect the wonderful machine as to enable an orator in London to address an audience there and at the same time be heard by an audience in Boston? or, might not Wagner, with his music performed in Paris, France, delight at the same time a fashionable throng in New York? Verily. The only drawback would be the absence of the speaker or the performer from this side of the water, but then we could close our eyes and draw upon the imagination for the balance. Truly, the end is not yet, and the powers of man's God-given mind have not been fully developed, if, indeed, there be a limit to it where development might lead to have ceased, or reached its culminating point.

UNLESS there is another and a better extradition treaty between our country and England, the forger, robber, or other criminal need have no fear to offend against the laws, provided he can feel assured of his escape to that safe asylum, England. Wladislaw and Brent glory in the beauty and liberality of the present treaty between the two countries. Lord Derby and our present minister are now working away at a new treaty, but it may prove to be even more "liberal" than the first.

A GREAT deal has been said by Republicans about Proctor Knott's withholding the famous Caldwell dispatch, and he has been roundly abused for it. They will now have the report of the whole committee, including Mr. Frye and Mr. Lawrence, Republicans, which fully exonerates Mr. Knott, and they say he did precisely right in holding it back until he could ascertain whether or not it was genuine. Thus explodes another Radical bubble, and its contents float out into this air.

SOME papers assert that Grant has softening of the brain, and is likely to become totally insane, and give as their reason for this belief, that he is turning out all of the honest officeholders and putting in incompetent men. Grant is not insane, nor is he at all likely to become so. The only reason for his conduct is that he will retain no man in office of whom he cannot make a tool and pimp, and his policy is to rule or ruin.

A NEW law was passed by Congress lately, which prohibits the sending of lottery circulars, letters, etc., through the mails, or any other matter which might induce the people to part with their money on an uncertainty. The law is a good one, and many persons will be saved from the wiles of the gambling swindlers of the North, where all the "God and Hummity" people are supposed, by Hayes and Wheeler, to live.

FOUR newspapers which heretofore supported the Republican ticket, have come out boldly and squarely for Tilden and Hendricks. Such a revolution in politics has rarely been known in the history of our country. There is a grand "ground swell" moving on, and we hope the end will not be reached until all will be able to see that the people are determined to have a radical change in the administration of our public affairs.

MR. EMMET G. LOGAN, formerly editor of the *Shelby Courier*, has become an attaché of the *Courier-Journal*, as we learn from the *Shelby Republican*. Mr. Logan's well known ability as a live newspaper man, will be the means of adding much to the interest of any paper with which he may become identified.

A MORE consistent, or truer Democratic county can not be found in the State than the county of Wolfe. Her people are ever alive to the best interests of the Democracy, and, although a mountain county, her citizens are always posted and know how to vote on all the great questions of the day.

UNITED STATES Senator Allen T. Caperton, of West Virginia, died suddenly, last Wednesday. Mr. Caperton was at one time a member of the Confederate Senate during the war, and displayed considerable talent.

A MAN by the name of Green B. Baum, of Illinois, has been nominated by Grant, as Commissioner of Internal Revenue, in place of the valued Commissioner Pratt, who was removed by the President.

GENERAL NEWS.

CARL SCHURE wrote Hayes' letter of acceptance, it is said.

A MONUMENT is to be erected to the memory of the late General G. A. Custer.

A GEORGIA negro paid \$9 to take the homestead law to keep from paying a debt of \$2.

A VERY destructive storm passed over Richmond, Va., recently, killing several persons and destroying many houses.

FALLING IN.—Four-fifths of the German voters of Cleveland, Ohio, who voted for Grant, have joined the Tilden Club of that city.

FIFTEEN prominent Republicans in different States have taken on Democratic armor, and will help us bear our flag to victory in November.

NINE-TENTHS of the Irish, and three-fourths of the German vote in this country, will support Tilden and Hendricks. So the statistics show.

M. HOUSE, the notorious N. York divorce lawyer, whose advertisements have flooded the country press for several years past, was shot dead by his wife (?) at their country seat, near Trenton, June 30.

MOTHERS should be very careful about whipping children; they might sue as a little fellow did in Montgomery, Alabama, who hung himself with a plow line because his mother gave him a thrashing.

WHEELER, the Republican nominee for Vice President, has written a short letter of acceptance, saying he was willing to enter the race and share the defeat with his head man, Hayes. Misery loves company.

A CLOUD burst in California recently, and drowned thirteen Chinamen woodchoppers, and several other laborers. The cloud poured out a flood of water two feet deep, and swept the people away like straw.

Gov. McENERY is a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination by the Democracy in Louisiana. He was clearly and fairly elected once before, when the infamous Kellogg, the carpet bagger, was allowed to take the place.

THREE boys in Tennessee, were convicted of stealing several plow lines. One of them was sentenced to the Penitentiary for two years and the other two for six months each. Pretty severe, but the best way to break up rogues.

GRANT, not content with turning out of office who should be retained there, has also turned out the State prison men who should stay there. W. O. Avery, the crooked whisky rascal, is the latest one of his pets who has been set at liberty. In all probability we will soon hear that Grant has given Avery a fit office.

STATE NEWS.

A LEXINGTON man was fined ten dollars for hitting a horse over the head with a plank.

EX-LIEUT. GOV. CARLISLE, of Kentucky, is a candidate for Congress in the Covington district.

Mrs. TEVIS' school, at Shelbyville, has been again placed on a firm footing, and will begin its 103rd session in September next.

THE Governor of Kentucky has offered a reward for the arrest of Sam Williams, who was released by the mob at Lancaster, and also a reward for the guilty mobbers.

LEXINGTON is trying to get street railroads. Now, if they will first build a decent Court-House, they might then hope to deserve such a convenience as a street railroad.

THE wheat crop in this county is one of the heaviest made for years. A gentleman coming into town on the Cadiz road, last Saturday, passed 80 wagons loaded with wheat within six miles of the city.—[Hopkinsville New Era.]

It is stated as true, however hard to believe, and may be accepted as a fact, that the colored people, who will submit to the degradation and insult, are being sworn to support the Radical candidate for sheriff.—[Lexington Press.]

OCTOBER, with biting frosts, is looked for now with more pleasure than before, because we are assured when the leaves begin to fall the baseball plagues will subside, and we will hear no more of their games until next season.

AN infuriated mobbing a man named Lee, in Northern Kentucky, because he shot and killed the man Ellis, who had seduced his wife. This is the first instance on record, where a man has been mobbed for such an offense. Generally speaking, the slayer of a seducer is made a lion of.

MR. J. H. BROWN, a neighbor and particular friend of ours, related to us, some weeks since, a very strange peculiarity in his family, which is about this: Of the Brown family, some six or seven members of the male portion are dead; and all died near the same age, in the same month (September,) about the same day of the month, and the same day of the week. And now, whenever one of the survivors gets the least sick during the month of September, it renders him very uneasy.—[Maysfield Monitor.]

LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

THE famous horse Vagrant, won the Exposition Stakes at Philadelphia this month. J. B. OWENS has an Alderney Bull which he will "farm out" at \$8 per cow, and allow the farmer to breed to him until his cow has a calf. His animal is thoroughbred, and this breed is known as the best milk and butter stock in the world. The animal is convenient to town.

To show the quality of the present wheat crop in this county, we would say that a gentleman got from three bushels of wheat at Rout's Mill this week, 125 pounds of fine flour, besides shorts, second rate flour, and bran. This is a nearly forty-three pounds of extra flour to the bushel. Whocaa beat it?

ON a meadow near town, in area something over 70 acres, there are nearly one hundred large stacks of hay. One of our farmers between town and Walnut Flat, has 20 stacks of hay, each of which he says contains not less than 2,500 pounds, which he will sell for \$10 each. Surely provender is cheap enough at that rate—and stock will thrive when winter comes.

THIRTEEN different sales of thoroughbred horse stock on the North side of the Kentucky River during the past few weeks, aggregated 555 head, at an average price of \$275—and netted \$154,850. The highest price obtained was for the horse Ed Wilder, \$18,000, purchased by Mr. S. G. Lardmore, of Newark, Ohio. An offer of \$15,000 for the trotter "John II" was refused.

MEADOW land will, on an average, produce hay yearly of the value of \$12 per acre. It will cost perhaps, \$4 per acre to raise and harvest it, which leaves \$8 per acre, clear profit, and the land unimproved. What better interest on the investment could a farmer hope for or desire, even on land for which he paid \$50 per acre? Sixteen per cent is a pretty fair interest.

THE OUTLOOK.—Wheat has declined to 75 cents per bushel. Weavers & McAllister have purchased several thousand bushels up to this date, and are still buying all that is offered to them, and pay cash at the counter. This ought to make times lighten up considerably in our county. At Shelby City, Hall's Gap, and Crab Orchard depots, others are shipping equal quantities, and we presume that our supplies will be shown at the end of the buying season, September 1st, to exceed 100,000 bushels, at an aggregated sum of \$90,000. With a corn and hay crop equal in yield, what is to keep up hard times? Truly the industrious husbandman has nothing of which to complain. Our surplus products in Lincoln county alone, will have brought a cash return to them of not less than a quarter of a million dollars by the first of December. Other counties immediately adjoining us, Garrard, Boyle, and Casey, will have large surplus crops and stocks, and, these combined, ought to throw into circulation in our vicinity nearly three quarters of a million of dollars. The outlook is hopeful.

PULASKI COUNTY NEWS.

SOMERSET. From a gentleman, who was present at the Wayne County Court, on Monday, we learn that delegates, appointed to the District Convention, were instructed to cast the vote of the county for Judge Durham. It was understood that Col. Hill had considerable strength in this county, but the news having been received that he had withdrawn from the contest, the vote that he would have otherwise gotten was transferred to Judge Durham, he being the most popular candidate. This is equivalent to the nomination of Judge Durham, as already enough votes have been instructed to secure that result.

WILLIE, a son of Mr. James Carson, residing between here and Cuba, while engaged in loading a wagon with timber, strained himself to such an extent that he suffered an abrasion of an intestine. He now lies in a critical condition, with but little chance of recovery.

THE Somerset Ram Ball Club requests us to say to your Stanford Club, and all other Clubs on this terrestrial sphere, that they are open to receive challenges, and that any communication addressed to Owens, of the *Reporter*, will receive prompt attention, and an early response. Now if your blue grass chaps want to get the worst beating they ever heard of, let them come and our mountains will do it for them.

A BOX of Mr. Lay is now on trial for shooting a mule, belonging to Mr. Camden. It is likely that the defense will show that a sufficient fence and repeated requests to keep the aforesaid mule off the premises were reasons enough for this summary action.

ON examination of the charter for the town of Somerset, the Trustees found that they had no right to require a tax of more than \$500 per annum of retail whisky sellers. The license has, therefore, been reduced from one thousand dollars to that amount, and the bar-keepers are happy.

ONE, Cosgrove, a blacksmith, employed on section 94, assuming the powers and dignity of, and representing himself as Marshal Wyatt, took possession of the stock of whisky, belonging to a man living below the Point, and appropriated it to his own use. The owner of the whisky, on finding out the imposition, had the self assumed Marshal arrested, and will, no doubt, prosecute him to the extent of the law.

IT now turns out that "Rev." I. D. Parker had lost his mind previous to his Western tour with that tender young dame. It does seem that a man with brains, anywhere near balanced, would hardly have acted so foolishly as he has, but, then, it is a telling.

PRESBYTER PEEBLES is at work on his new church, near Glover's, this week. We saw him there with coat and apparently ready for business, but a brother suggested he did a good deal more work with his tongue than with his hands. He deserves great credit, however, for working the people up to the point he has; and the handsome new church will be a monument to his memory.

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